

Cape Locals

Death of Good Woman.

Mrs. Heatley, wife of Robert Heatley, Dutchtown, died at her home Sunday evening, and the remains were laid to rest in St. Edwards cemetery, Father Rohling of Chaffee conducting the burial services. Besides her husband, two children and many relatives survive. Mrs. Heatley was a woman of many good traits and had a host of friends and she will be greatly missed in the community in which she lived. The Herald extends sympathy to the bereaved husband and children, who will miss the kind wife and mother's care.

The Sons of Veterans, in session Monday evening, installed the following officers: Ed. Blumer, Commander; Alvin Klages, Sr., vice-Commander; M. A. Hennecke, Jr., vice-Commander; Henry Huhn, Camp Council; Herman Rabich, A. Dittlinger and Henry Scheppelman; Treas., A. Walther; Secretary, S. E. Blumer; Chaplain, Herman Rabich; P. Inst., Emil Wolters; Guide, Bern Wolters; Color, B. Tony Gockel; Inner G., C. W. McKury; Outer G., Leo Bruening. The Auxiliary was made up with the following ladies:—President, Clara Gockel; Vice-Pres., Josie Huhn; Past Pres., Anna Keller; Chaplain, Mollie Schultz; Secretary, Ella Keller; Treas., Lydia Schneider; Guide, Bertha Kuss; Ass't. G., Chloe Fischer; Inner G., Augusta Horn; Outer G., Freda Rueseler; Color Guards, A. Kassel and Emma Rabich; P. Inst., Katie Dittlinger; Trustees, Katie Dittlinger, Augusta Horn and Emma Rabich. After the ceremonies refreshments were served and dancing was enjoyed.

Christian Weber, who resided several miles from the city on the Gordonville road, died Sunday night of pneumonia, at the age of 89 years. The remains were interred in the Salem cemetery near the home of deceased Tuesday, and many people were present to pay tribute to the memory of their friend. Mr. Weber was a native of Germany, having come to this country in 1855 with his family. He was a prosperous farmer and a good citizen.

At a recent meeting of the stockholders of the local Water and Light Company, Mr. Wurback of St. Louis was elected president, the other members of the newly-elected board being Messrs. Beck, Smith, Kurtz, Tensley, St. Louis; J. D. Porterfield and W. H. Miller, Cape Girardeau. No other important changes in the company's affairs have been announced.

Dr. Otto Foster of St. Louis was in the city Tuesday to attend a meeting of the directors of the First National bank.

The St. Louis and Tennessee River Packet company, at its annual meeting, Jan. 9, decided to build a large steamer for the St. Louis and Tennessee River trade, and a light-draft boat and two barges to ply Paducah. The large steamer will take the place of the City of Savannah, which sank a few weeks ago in the Mississippi river below the Cape. It will be similar to the Savannah, but will have larger passenger accommodations.

The river has been frozen completely this week and many people crossed afoot, which was the only means to get from one shore to another. While it is conceded by old river men to be as safe as Gibraltar to walk and drive on, the job appears to us a very risky one, and we must have urgent business on the opposite side before starting on the journey, tenderfoot or no tenderfoot.

The wife of J. T. Bivens of Hickman, Ky., gave birth to four babies, three girls and a boy, all apparently strong and healthy. Before marrying Mr. Bivens about a year ago the mother was the widow of Tom Wilson, one of the Reelfoot night riders who died in the Tennessee penitentiary. The boy baby died a day or two after its birth.

Mrs. Rosa Ketterer died at her home, 44 Spanish street, Tuesday evening, following an operation. She was the widow of Anton Ketterer, and is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Wm. Atkinson, Miss Bertha Ketterer, and one son, Paul, all of this city, and numerous other relations.

Mrs. Pem Parsons, wife of the manager of the clothing department of the Sikeston Mercantile company, was dangerously and perhaps fatally burned before noon Wednesday, when her clothing ignited from the stove as she was replenishing the fire with coal.

At the annual stockholders' meeting of the First National Bank, held Tuesday, the same board was re-elected. D. A. Glenn is again president of the bank and L. S. Joseph, cashier. After the meeting the officials joined in a luncheon spread for the occasion.

An unidentified man hanged himself in the depot at Gibson station Saturday night. He was almost frozen when he applied to the agent for right to sleep in the waiting room. No papers were found on his person to identify him.

Mr. J. W. Browning, formerly of Jackson, has opened a restaurant and lunch stand in the building recently occupied by J. R. Norman. He will conduct a first-class restaurant and appreciate your patronage. He will be ready to serve meals Monday morning.

C. P. Carpenter, a prominent farmer living seven miles south of Blytheville, is in jail charged with the murder of his wife and mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary Davis, at the Carpenter home Sunday night—Caruthersville Democrat.

The Morley hotel, near the Frisco depot, was totally destroyed by fire Tuesday. Heroic efforts were resorted to, to keep the fire from spreading and no other serious damage resulted from the blaze.

H. A. Nussbaum, G. J. Keller, Robt. Vogelsang, A. W. Bergman, C. G. Moeder, Jas. Haas and G. H. Meyer have been re-elected directors of the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of Haarig.

Mrs. Hilton, an estimable woman of Allenville, and mother of H. H. Hilton, the merchant, died at her home Saturday and was buried in the Dutchtown cemetery Sunday.

Misses Eva Hess and Clara Cox returned to Cape Girardeau Monday to re-enter the State Normal School, after spending the holidays very pleasantly at home.—Sikeston Herald.

Mrs. W. W. Martin, a former resident of this city, but now making her home in Wisconsin, arrived Sunday for an extended visit to friends.

The Commercial Club held a big meeting Tuesday night, after which a luncheon and smoker was enjoyed. Several new members were added.

W. H. Bohnsack returned from St. Louis Saturday, where he purchased a fine line of straw hats for his spring trade.

A. R. Boone of Charleston, candidate for lieutenant governor on the democratic ticket, was in the city Wednesday.

Senator Whitley of St. Marys was in the Cape Wednesday. He attended court at Jackson this week.

Mrs. Jas. Moore returned to her home in St. Louis Monday after several days visit in the city.

J. N. Clippard returned Tuesday from a short visit in the south.

Mrs. Gladys Brooks has returned from several weeks visit in the east.

H. P. Pieronnet was in Cairo Monday on business.

"Baffidils."

Wisdom, seeking one amid the crowd, becomes lost; but to him that is in the silences, it speeds on staunch wings.

The Woman who married the Other Man may be a potent stimulus for genius through all the years, if miles remain between.

A man who strives to be a carbon copy of some tin crowned overseer of the mob, often slays unborn the mighty king that lies latent within him.

The devil and his demons are not so good a police force as they once were.

Pathetic illusions are so often garnered in the self-expressed answer of youth to its own question: What is life?

Secretary Wilson of the Department of Agriculture has perfected arrangements which will enable his office to give out the official reports on the crop yield of the world on Mondays nearest to the 20th of each month. The reports will be cabled direct to the department from the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome, and will eventually militate against improper speculation in the wheat market.

Decreased Gold Production.

The gold-mining industry was generally active in 1911, but early figures indicate a total production for the United States and Alaska slightly below the output of 1910. The most notable features of the industry in 1911, according to H. D. McCaskey, of the United States Geological Survey, were the resumption of normal labor conditions in the Black Hills of South Dakota, the increased dredge output in California, development of production in the new Innokoditarod placer region of Alaska and the Republic district of Washington, continued development and prosperity of the great Goldfield (Nevada) and Treadwell (Alaska) mines, normal conditions also on the Mother Lode in California, improvement in metallurgical methods, and general increase in activity at many small deep and placer mines. Renewed interest in prospecting was shown in Colorado, although the gold output of the State decreased owing to the gradual exhaustion of several large ore bodies and to continued small decrease in production from the great Cripple Creek camp. In addition to the yields from placers and gold siliceous and pyritic ores, notable contributions to the gold production were made from copper, lead and mixed ores, particularly in Utah and Arizona, the mining of which was also generally prosperous in 1911. Notwithstanding a decreased output of copper in some states, due in part, as in Montana, to prearranged curtailment, the total production of copper was greater in 1911 than in any previous year except 1909. The output of lead and of mixed ores was also notably heavy in 1911.

St. Louis, Jan. 9.—Henry Leyher, general manager of the Eagle Packet company, following its annual meeting, yesterday, announced a new steel hulled packet costing \$100,000 would be built at once to be used in the St. Louis and Cape Girardeau trade. This will make the seventh boat owned and operated by the Eagle Packet company. Contract for the construction of the new boat will be let some time next week, following another meeting of officers. The boat will be 240 feet long and 40 feet wide; engines, 22 inches in diameter, with an 8-foot stroke, and 4 boilers, 44 inches in diameter and 26 feet long. The boat will be made ready for service for the summer season if possible. The construction will be mostly of steel, with an all-steel hull.

\$100 Per Plate.

was paid at a banquet to Henry Clay, in New Orleans in 1842. Mightily costly for those with stomach trouble or indigestion. Today people everywhere use Dr. King's New Life Pills for these troubles as well as liver, kidney and bowel disorders. Only 25cts. at All Druggists.

IN THE MATTER OF

the estate of Johanna Grube, deceased.

By virtue of an order of the Cape Girardeau Court of Common Pleas, made at its November term, 1911, directing the sale of three notes belonging to said estate, one executed to Johanna Grube by Martin Kruise, one by August Stoffregen and Wilhemine Stoffregen, and one executed by Edward Bartels and Bertha Bartels.

Said notes will be sold at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder, at the east door of the court house in the City of Cape Girardeau, in Cape Girardeau county, State of Missouri, on Saturday, the 20th day of January, 1912, and between the hours of 10 o'clock in the forenoon and 3 o'clock in the afternoon, on said day.

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